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March 12, 2015

The Honorable Douglas Bosco, Chair
State Coastal Conservancy
1330 Broadway, Suite 1300
Oakland, CA 94612

Re: Support for Fitch Mountain Public Access Plan

Dear Mr. Bosco:

I am writing in support of the City of Healdsburg's request for $150,000 in funding to develop a public access plan for Fitch Mountain. Healdsburg has already committed to take title and will provide $100,000 towards the acquisition of the property.

Although this iconic site has been used unofficially for years by visitors and residents, acquisition of this property affords Healdsburg the chance to improve and increase access to the mountain as well as provide recreational opportunities at this site.

The City of Healdsburg has a long and successful working relationship with LandPath, who currently holds title to the property. They are looking forward to partnering once again in developing this access plan together.

I am pleased to support Healdsburg's request and I urge you to give it your full consideration.

Sincerely,

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Dear Mr. Bosco:

I am writing to express my support for the City of Healdsburg's proposal to develop a public access plan for Fitch Mountain. The City of Healdsburg is requesting $150,000 for the access plan, and has already committed to take title, and provide $100,000 toward the acquisition of the property.

For years Fitch Mountain has been a treasured resource for residents of Healdsburg and Sonoma County. The recent acquisition of the property affords the City of Healdsburg the opportunity to improve and increase access to this remarkable place.

The access plan marks the culmination of decades of effort by residents of Sonoma County to acquire the property and provide recreational opportunities at this iconic site. This project also provides another opportunity for the City of Healdsburg to partner with LandPaths, who currently holds the title to the property. The City and LandPaths enjoy a long and successful working relationship, and are looking forward to developing the access plan together.

Thank you for your consideration of the City's proposal. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Respectfully,

JIM WOOD
Assemblymember, 2nd District

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